



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
United States Patent and Trademark Office
Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450
www.uspto.gov

JK

APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
10/748,328	12/31/2003	Noriaki Setoguchi	122.1372C	8118
21171	7590	01/17/2006	EXAMINER	
STAAS & HALSEY LLP SUITE 700 1201 NEW YORK AVENUE, N.W. WASHINGTON, DC 20005			LEE, WILSON	
			ART UNIT	PAPER NUMBER
			2821	

DATE MAILED: 01/17/2006

Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

APPLICATION NO./ CONTROL NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR / PATENT IN REEXAMINATION	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.
---------------------------------	-------------	---------------------------------------------------	---------------------

10/748328

EXAMINER

ART UNIT PAPER

20060112

DATE MAILED:

Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

Commissioner for Patents

Sir:

IDS filed on 12/23/05 after the notice of allowance dated 9/28/05 and before the payment of issue fee paid on 12/27/05 has not been considered because applicant fails to provide a 1.97(e) statement and pay 1.17(p) fee to comply the requirement under 37 CFR 1.97.

Therefore, references cited in the IDS filed on 12/23/05 have been crossed through.

Wilson Lee
Primary Examiner
Art Unit: 2821